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Ladies' fine dongola button and lace shoes, patent leather tip, plain toe and common sense, regular \$1.50 grade at

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Will buy two Centennial Buggies that are beauties. Boys sell them before you buy.

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Two surries, one phonograph at reduced price.

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Finished light antique or walnut color, heavy hardwood posts, the very best patent dovetail fastenings, at \$2.00, \$3.25, \$4.25, \$5.00. Washstands with water shelf, drawer and towel arms \$2.25. Tin safes \$1.95. Very handsome wire cupboards, upper and lower compartments, double drawers \$6.50, light finish.

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Fire proof, in good order, for sale or trade at a bargain.

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In buggies, phonographs and surreys. Will sell from a good assortment at better prices than anywhere, to avoid carrying over. Come early and get choice.

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ENTERTAINMENTS.

A Delightful "At Home."

At Mt. Pleasant, Wednesday afternoon of last week, from 2 until 4, a number of Mrs. A. W. Southworth's friends were royally entertained at an elegant afternoon luncheon, given in honor of Mrs. Ben Richmond of Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. Southworth, in their accustomed way, dispensed genuine hospitality. Elegant refreshments were served and the delicious "oyster cocktail," convinced all present that the fair hostess was well versed in the culinary arts as well as in the social graces that make her a universal favorite. The honoree is a lady of rare culture and has made many friends during her sojourn in Maury. Mrs. Southworth was assisted in receiving by Misses Mary and Almee Long, than whom Maury County does not afford two more charming young ladies. Those present were, Mrs. Hinton Kittrell, Mrs. W. S. Jennings, Mrs. Geo. Hogan, Mrs. Wm. D. Brooks, Miss Riar Long, Mrs. H. Ward, Mrs. Jno. Goodloe, Mrs. Wiley Harris, Mrs. Sid Goodloe, Mrs. Martha Goodloe, Mrs. Wm. Vance Wilson, Mrs. Washington Long, Mrs. Henry Long, Mrs. Edmond Hughes.

Mrs. Ruth McEnery Stuart will give a reading from her stories to-night at the Institute at half past seven. The admission is 50 cents. The young ladies of "The Current Topic Club" and the gentlemen of "The Saturday Night Club" will give Mrs. Stuart a reception in the parlors of the Institute immediately after the reading, and all the audience is cordially invited to the reception. The young ladies will serve light refreshments during the evening. Mrs. Stuart is said to be the best dialect reader in the country.

Miss Mary Greer gave a delightful entertainment on Thursday night of last week, complimentary to Miss Elsie Olmstead, of Chattanooga. Card-playing and dancing were indulged in until a late hour, when delicious refreshments were served. The following were in attendance: Miss Margaret Elliott, J. Cheairs Mayes; Miss Eva James, W. B. Wooten; Miss Louise Dobbin, W. W. Evans; Miss Fannie Louise Smith, W. W. Moore; Miss Elsie Olmstead, Frank Borum; Miss Mary Greer, Innes Dobbin.

One of the pleasant evenings in anticipation for some time in January, after the holiday rush is over, is a reading at the Opera House by Prof. A. H. Merrill, of the Vanderbilt University, who, on this occasion, will make his selections mainly from John Trotwood Moore's new book, "Songs and Stories of Tennessee." Prof. Merrill is a delightful reader at all times, but the charm for this occasion will be greatly enhanced by the local interest we all take in "Trotwood."

Invitations have been issued by the Society of Church Workers of the First Presbyterian church, to a reception, in celebration of their ninth anniversary, to be given next Tuesday afternoon, from three until five o'clock, at the residence of Dr. Robert Pillow. The pastor and officers of the church will be the honored guests, and the reception promises to be an elegant one. A delightful musical program will be given by Columbia's best talent.

Miss Katherine Wilkes entertained the Embroidery Circle last Friday evening, complimentary to her guest, Miss Hotze, of New York. During the evening delicious refreshments were served, and all in attendance spent a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Guest gave an enjoyable Thanksgiving dinner last Thursday, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Callender, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seaver, and Miss Gordon.

Mrs. A. J. Nichols will entertain the Embroidery Circle this afternoon, Dec. 3, at 3 o'clock, in honor of Miss Nellie Williams, of Aniston, Ala.

Wm. J. Towler, Esq., entertained at tea Monday evening, complimentary to Judge R. B. Williams, Attorney-General Boyd and Mr. Joe Gunther.

The "Chamber Concert," which was to have taken place at Madame Esteve's studio this evening, has been indefinitely postponed.

Mrs. H. L. Hendley delightfully entertained a few of her friends last Thursday evening at her home on the Santa Fe pike.

Mrs. E. S. Fowler entertained the Current Topic Club at the Institute Wednesday afternoon.

Garwood's Sarsaparilla—for the blood—guaranteed to cure. A. B. RAINS.

Why They Sold.

George A. Wilkins, Secretary of the Alabama Telephone and Construction Company, in conversation with a reporter of The Journal this morning, said, in answer to a question as to why the company abandoned the telephone business in Selma: "The simple reason was that the exchange was not paying expenses, and there was no prospect of its doing so at the prices charged. It appeared to be impossible, with the instruments used, principally the Harrison, to give satisfactory service, or a service that would bear comparison with the Bell. This was a constant source of complaint and annoyance."

"It is all well enough to talk about home institutions and local influences, but the investors want and expect to receive some returns on their investment, and the people, the patrons of the telephone exchange, want, demand, and must have, good service. The prices charged and the instruments used by our company would bring neither, and this is the reason why we abandoned the field."—Selma Journal, April 16, 1896.

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TASTELESS ELIXIR OF COD LIVER OIL.

Recommended by physicians and guaranteed to be superior to any patent preparation of cod liver oil.

If you have a chronic cough or throat and lung trouble, try it!

\$1.00 per bottle, Six for \$5.00.

GEORGE S. ALCORN.

THE "PEOPLE" MEET AGAIN

And Make Several Changes in the Board of Education.

According to adjournment Friday night, the People's Party Board of Mayor and Aldermen met again Tuesday night, for the purpose of making out the various budgets and attending to other business.

E. Yoest's place on the Board of Education having become vacant by his being elected Mayor, Ed. D. Wilson was elected to fill his unexpired term; and the terms of W. B. Greenlaw and E. S. Fowler as members of the Board of Education, having expired, T. E. Lipscomb and Frank Cox were elected to succeed them. Mr. J. H. Dugger's term also expired by limitation, and he was re-elected to succeed himself.

The ordinance prohibiting butcher shops to remain open of Sunday's after 8 a. m. was changed to read 9 a. m.

The sum of \$29,000—the same as last year—was appropriated to the various budgets and divided as follows:

Work-house.....	\$ 300
Charity.....	350
Expense.....	1,400
Miscellaneous.....	1,500
Schools.....	3,000
Lamps.....	3,500
Salaries.....	4,000
Railroad.....	4,620
Streets.....	5,000
Fire.....	5,330
	29,000

Schools to be supplemented by poll-tax and funds from State and county schools.

Bank Stock For Sale.

On Monday, December 13th, at 12 o'clock, at the Court House door in Columbia, we will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, \$3000 of Maury National Bank stock, belonging to the estate of the late Col. Ridley. This stock will be sold in \$1000 blocks.

RIDLEY BROS. & HALLIDAY, Ex'rs.

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Knights of the Maccabees.

A lodge of the Knights of the Maccabees was instituted in the I. O. O. F. hall last Thursday evening, with twenty-nine charter members. The following officers were elected: F. H. Smith, P. C.; Daniel Hill, C.; H. J. Miller, Lieut. C.; E. E. Erwin, R. K.; T. A. Dugger, F. S.; Rev. D. T. Waynick, Chaplain; J. A. Tegarden, Sergt.; Dr. W. M. Biddle, Physician; W. J. Johnson, M. at A.; L. P. Roan, 1st M. of G.; E. D. Wilson, 2nd M. of G.; S. L. Watson, Sentinel; J. W. Pane, Picket.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED

The following seasonal goods, all new and fresh.

MACARONI and NEW YORK CREAM CHEESE. FRESH NEW YORK OYSTERS. CRANBERRIES. OLD PROCESS BUCKWHEAT FLOUR. MAPLE SYRUP. GERMAN DILL PICKLES. PETTYJOHN'S BREAKFAST FOOD. NEUFCHATEL FROMAGE. D'BRIE and EDAM CHEESE. NEW RAISINS. FIGS, PRUNES. CITRUS.

Don't forget to try the E. W. Gamble Blend of Roasted Coffee.

Prices lower than ever.

E. W.

GAMBLE GROCERY COMPANY.

OVER THE COUNTY

Photo buttons, 2 for 25c at Young's.

Miss Lillie Watkins is visiting friends near Nashville.

Cabinet Photos \$1.00 per dozen at Fielden Bros. gallery. dec3 2t

Judge E. D. Looney is having some improvements made in his office.

Wilburn Craig, son of Mr. Billie Craig of Groveland, had his leg broken while at school one day last week.

Remember that W. J. Embry & Co., always have money to loan on real estate mortgages. nov26 2t

If you object to being dunned by letter, and if you do not wish your name dropped from the HERALD's list, you had better call in the very next time you are in Columbia and pay for the paper you have been reading all this year.

We use the Electro Ferro process. 17 pictures for only 25 cents. Chance of a life time. Call and see sample. For two weeks only. St. Louis Art Co., S. W. Cor. square. It

The passenger train on the N. C. & St. L. R. R., which left Lewisburg for Columbia Wednesday afternoon at 5:40, broke down at South Berlin. Another engine was sent for and the train reached here about 7 hours late.

The communications from Smyrna and Mt. Pleasant, did not reach this office until yesterday, which compels us to leave them out. Our correspondents will please remember to send their letters in on Monday or Tuesday.

CHEAP FOR CASH.—One top spring wagon and horse, two double cedar log houses in first-class condition. For particulars call at Woldridge & Irvine's drug store. dec3 2t

Manager Riche, of the Phosphate Mining Company at Mt. Pleasant, was in the city yesterday. His father represents a syndicate of French capitalists who are interested in the phosphate mines at Mt. Pleasant.

Now the year 1897 has nearly gone, and that subscription to the HERALD you have been intending all the year to pay, has not yet been paid. Won't you please put it on your memorandum list, and pay it when you come to Columbia next Monday?

We always have money to loan on real estate mortgages in sums from \$500 and upwards. Can furnish you the money promptly upon application.

W. J. EMBRY & CO.

Miss Clabie Taylor has returned from a visit to Texas, and our readers we hope will hear from "Barbara," again soon. Culleoka, however, is big enough to claim two correspondents for the HERALD, and while no one shall ever supplant "Barbara," still we hope that "No Name" will continue his newsworthy letters to the HERALD.

New Goods Received Daily.

See our stock before you buy. We have the goods, no trouble to show them. (nov26 2t) JAMES BROS.

WEDDING BELLS.

Cards have been issued announcing the marriage of Matt. W. Thornton, of Lewisburg, to Miss Alida Taylor, of Kelso, Lincoln county, on Wednesday, Dec. 8th, at the home of the bride. Rev. Mr. Foster, of Kelso, will perform the ceremony.—Marshall Gazette.

Mr. Thornton was formerly clerk at the Bethel House, in this city, and has many friends who will extend congratulations to him in advance.

"The engagement is announced of Miss Sadee Wharton to Mr. Del Cooper. The wedding will take place some time in December. Miss Wharton is the oldest daughter of Mr. Wm. Wharton and belongs to an old and well known family. She is a young lady of many accomplishments, quite pretty, with a charming, vivacious manner. Mr. Cooper is the son of Col. Duncan B. Cooper and is quite a promising young journalist."—Nashville Sun.

Approaching Nuptials. Miss Lizzie Burke, of Lynnvile, and Mr. M. D. King, of Columbia, will be united in marriage at the home of Mr. W. T. Richardson, of Lynnvile, on Dec. 15, at 4 o'clock p. m. Rev. Jno. A. Nolan, of Nashville, officiating.

Permanent Telephone Rates Offered.

Our present residence list is large enough to make a telephone in any business house worth more than we charge for the service. Our business rates are as follows:

\$3 per month for private line.

\$1.50 per month for party line.

We require no contract, but if required will execute contracts at these rates any number of years.

LELAND HUME, Lessee.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Adopted by "The Maury County Medical Society" Upon the Death of H. D. Beden, M. D.

WHEREAS, Dr. H. D. Beden, a fellow member of the "Maury County Medical Society," and an active co-worker in our beloved profession, has been removed by death from our midst. And,

WHEREAS, by his death, our society has lost a useful and highly respected member, the county an honorable, upright citizen, and his family a kind and loving protector. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we deeply deplore his loss, to our society, to the medical profession of the county and to the community in which he lived.

That we extend to his sorrowing family our tenderest sympathy in their sad bereavement.

T. J. PILLOW, M. D.

T. J. HARDISON, M. D.

K. S. HOWLETT, M. D.

Committee.

..AT THE RACKET!

You can find what you want and the price is always right.

Ladies' Jersey ribbed, fleeced lined vests, taped neck, good weight, 15c each.

Ladies' white Jersey ribbed, fleeced lined vests, 25c.

Ladies' ecru Jersey ribbed, fleeced lined vests, 25c.

Ladies' ecru Jersey ribbed, fleeced lined pants, 25c.

Ladies' gray Jersey ribbed, fleeced lined vests and pants, 24c.

Ladies' extra size Jersey ribbed vests and pants.

A full line of Ladies' fleeced and Jersey ribbed wool vests and pants.

Children's union suits, 25c each.

A full line of children's vests and pants, wool and cotton, from 6 cents a garment up.

Infants' cotton and wool vests, all sizes.

Infants' caps and hoods, large stock cheap.

Ladies' black fleeced lined cashmere gloves, 14c, 19c, 24c to 39c pair.

Ladies' and Children's wool mittens, 8c pair, up.

Infants' wool hose, 5c to 15c pair.

Misses' wool hose, 14c to 24c pair.

Ladies' black and gray wool hose, 15c to 25c pair.

Ladies' black fleeced lined hose, 10c, 14c, 20c, 24c to 39c pair.

Ladies' cotton hose, 5c pair, up.

Children's cotton hose, 5c pair, up.

Men's undershirts, 15c each.

Men's heavy gray and white undershirts and drawers, 25c each.

Men's ribbed fleeced lined undershirts and drawers, 24c each.

Men's heavy corded fleeced lined undershirts and drawers, 75c suit.

Men's heavy gray fleeced lined undershirts and drawers, 75c suit.

Men's fancy wool fleeced lined undershirts and drawers, 95c suit.

Men's gray wool fleeced lined undershirts and drawers, 49c each.

Men's wool undershirts and drawers in grays, white and fancy goods, 69c, 74c, 85c to \$1.00 each.

Boys' undershirts and drawers, gray or white, 19c and 24c each.

Men's cotton socks, 5c up.

Men's wool socks, 10c to 24c pair.

Men's cashmere socks, gray, black or tan, 20c and 25c pair.

Men's sweaters, 40c, 90c to \$1.75 each.

Call here for your button photos free.

The Racket.

Miners Strike.

Twelve hundred coal miners in Walker County, Ala., are out on a strike. The miners contend that it was agreed that wages should be restored on Nov. 1—having been cut 10 per cent. last spring—but the operators failed to carry out their agreement.

Garwood's Sarsaparilla—for the blood—guaranteed to cure. A. B. RAINS.

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THE MAURY BELL

TELEPHONE EXCHANGE

has over three hundred telephones now in operation. While this is the largest list ever operated in the county, we believe that a population of 40,000 ought to have an exchange of at least seven hundred subscribers, and we want that number. Our list at present embraces many leading grocers and business houses, while the residence list contains twice as many names as any other list shows. Business houses who have not yet done so, should supply themselves with our telephone, or else expect to lose the patronage of many of their former customers who can now reach other leading houses.

No contracts required. No exclusive patronage asked.

No unreasonable rates charged. Best material used.

Service unsurpassed. Patronage solicited.

Try our telephone and if not satisfactory money will be refunded.

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